BAD RIDING LOSES THE WITHERS.

PRINCE ROYAL DEFEATED BY A BLUNDER, August Belmont was a fortunate man yesterday. If he had been at Jerome Park he would have seen the sorriest sight that can sear the eyes of an enthusiastic racing man—the losing of an important race by a fockey's gross blundering. It was the Withers Stakes, best known in America, and Mr. Belmont could not have lost it but for the bad judgment and lence of his jockey, Godfrey. Its ran for it, two of them from the Dwyer stable, Sir Dixon and Tea Tray. Sir Dixon has been much below par since he attempted the too serious task of running against The Bard, and the Dwyers put more faith in Tea Tray, rogue as he is, than in the hand-some son of Billet. So they put McLaughlin on Tea Tray and engaged Fitzpatrick to ride Sir Dixon, but had no great confidence in either colt in his present condition. Prince Royal's running has been escientions and consistent this year that most of the experts believed him sure of success. ed without their Godfrey. Tea Tray salled off in the lead and was first for six furlongs, but when Prince Royal challenged him he promptly showed the pigeon liver and dropped back. Prince Royal was first into the homestretch, and was coming on so boldly and swiftly that the gallant Godfrey decided to show the spectators that the successor of Frederick Archer was in the saddle right then and there. So he straightened himself, struck the worldrenowned attitude of Ajax Defying the Firecracker, and prepared to bring down the grand stand in thunders of applause. Meanwhile the meek and unassum-ing Fitzpatrick was hard at work on Sir Dixon, driving the Dwyer colt like a March blizzard in Broadway. Down they came, Godfrey all smiles, airs and graces Fitzpatrick busy as the Flying Dutchman in stiff breeze. A few finish Mr. Belmont's few jockey

a dim and hazy notion that he was playing a pair of a dim and hazy notion that he was began to take a deuces against a strong hand, and began to take a little interest in the game. So he stirred up Prince Royal with a gentle shake, and the two colts crossed the line almost head and head. Godfrey felt sure that had won. So did the spectators, so did James Rowe, Mr. Belmont's trainer, who came hurrying up with the light of triumph in his eye. There was tittle delay, a brief consultation among the judges, and up went-not Prince Royal's number, but Sir Godfrey's jaw Rowe's face turned pale. dropped with a clank audible behind Pienic Hill. The crowd, which had shared Godfrey's superb and class ical confidence, began to hiss and moan. But the number did not stir. If Mr. Belmont had looked on at this appalling stu-

pidity and clumsiness, which lost him one of the most highly prized stakes of the year, he could hardly have refrained from a few sharp suggestions, even though he had more patience than a male guest at a Sorosis dinner, or a Randall Democrat read out of his party by a Cleveland caucus. It would have taken the set control of the lions who refrained from eating Daniel or the long-suffering of Dr. Tanner to have kept back strong language over such a performance as Godfrey's The Withers was just at Mr. Belmont's finger-tips, the cup of Tantajus was pressed to his lips, and careless boy tossed it aside with a fillip. Oh, for fiv-minutes of Mr. Belmont then! One blast upon his bugle horn were worth-well, Godfrey might have found out what it was worth. An odd incident in the case was that Fitzpatrick

himself supposed that Prince Royal had won, until he saw the number of his own mount go up. doubtedly the judges were right, although it was a matter of a few inches, due to Godfrey's error. The ers on the opposite side of the track confirmed the judges' verdict. But, to tell the truth, the spectators did not. It was a desperately near thing, and re-minded experienced turfmer of the famous Ferneliffe Grenada Withers, which the spectators gave to Grenada, but the judges to Ferneliffe.

Mr. Withers came to see the Withers run, and was greeted with the warmest cordiality by all his old lends in the American Jockey Club. officers of the club were specially glad to welcome him, and there was a halo of good feeling around many a venerable head. The air was so full of har-mony, peace and pleasantness that the rain was almost forgotten. But the rain was a stubborn fact The American Jockey Club has done everything in its power to provide excellent sport for the race-going public, but the weather has been its worst enemy. Yet lovers of the turf became so accustomed to rain during the last half of the month of May that racing without showers was looked upon as hardly proper and legitimate. So almost everybody smilling and gay at Jerome. Except the Those indefatigable money-spinners bookmakers. and toilers with other men's pocketbooks looked as sour and grim as a member of the Board of Aldermen who has failed in his efforts to blackmail a rich con

who has failed in his chorts to dealer.

The Bard did not start, and it seemed unlikely pesterday that any of Mr. Cassatt's horses would run at this meeting, because they came up late from the Brooklyn course and sufficient stabling could not be provided for them, the boxes having all been taken by earlier comers. The Dwyers found a similar difficulty. This is much to be regretted. More stables are needed. Certainly the best racchorses in America should not be turned away while steeple-chasers and selling-platers enjoy comfortable quarters.

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The attendance was excellent in spite of the leaky sky, the betting brisk, the startling perfect and the racing good. King Crab, the favorite, won the first race easily. The second was the Withers. Next came the Van Cortland Stakes, in which Esquimau and Belvidere made a close and exciting finish. These two carried most of the money and Belvidere won. Brown Duke was the favorite for the fourth race, but sulked and would not try. Exile won by a head in a sharp finish with Goodlee and Raymond. Fitz-patrick was on Exile as well as Sir Dixon, and thus retrieved his recent blunders. But he rode that rapid old cripple Marsh Redon in the selling race with a singular lack of capacity to understand the proper handling of the horse.

The total number of tickets, straight and place, sold on the six races was 19,011, which at \$5 each represents an investment of \$95.055 in the mutual pools. The auctions were unusually large, and it is safe to say that the total amount wagered through both systems was at least \$150,000.

FIRST RACE-PURSE \$700. TITAN COURSE-1,400

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YARDS.
C. Cornehlsen's br. g. King Crab, by Kingsher-Carita, 3 yrs., 103 if (car, 105). (Donohus)
f. D. Morrissey's blk. c. Lócust. 3, 106 (Littlefield)
J. B. Haggin's b. f. Music. 3, 91 (car, 94) (Osser)
R. C. Livingston's ch. f. Puzzle. 4, 98 (Anderson)
P. J. Film's b. g. Young Duke, aged, 17 (car. 119)
(McLaughlin) YARDS. Mexican Stable's b. h. Buzzard Wing, aged, 105 (car F. Gebhard's b. g. Merlin, 3, 93 (Sands) T. Finican's br. g. Electricity, 4, 105 (Palmer)

Time-1:25. Auction pools-King Crab \$90, Young Duke \$60, Lot \$60, field \$60.

Mutuals-King Crab straight paid \$11 70. place \$7 80; Locust, place, \$8 25. Total number of tickets sold, 3,475.

Miss Mouse was withdrawn. Buzzard Wing was first
off, but his flight was short. Young Duke took the lead
as they passed the club-house, but when they reappeared at the half Locust had run through and was a length be-fore Music, Young Duke third. Coming into the home-stretch Locust lost ground, Young Duke and Music closing with him. King Crab suddenly shot out of the ruck like a cork out of a bottle, and coming on close to the outer rail won easily by two lengths. Locust eight lengths before Music. Young Duke seems to have lost his cun-SECOND RACE-WITHERS STARES. THREE YEAR

OLDS. #100 EACH, #1,000 ADDED. ONE MILE.
Dwyer Brothers' br. c. Sir Dixon, by Billet-Jaconet,
118 h. (Fitzpatrick) 1
A. Belmont's ch. c. Prince Royal, 118 (Godfrey)
Dwyer Brothers' ch. c. Tea Tray, 118 (car. 119)
(McLaughlin) 3 Time-1:47 E-4.

Auction pools-Dwyer pair \$100, Prince Royal \$60.

Mutuals-The Dwyer pair straight paid \$8 75. Total number of tiexe. seld, 1,912.

Now or Never, Fitnames and the Minority colt were withdrawn. A mistake was made in putting up the names of the jockeys, McLaughlin being placed opposite Sir Dixon's number and Pitzpatrick beside Tea Tray's. There was a rush to the ring to back the Dwyer pair, and when those had invested looked at the board again and saw that McLaughlin was to ride Tea Tray and "Fitz" Sir Dixon there was a howl of disgust. The Dwyers played a clever trick on Godfrey. They sent McLaughlin out with Tea Tray to make the pace, while "Fitz" was instructed to wait with Sir Dixon and take up the running when Tea Tray should have enough. Prince Royal was thus sand-wiched between the pair. Tea Tray, under a vigorous driving, made the pace hot. Godfrey, fearing McLaugh-lin's mount and entirely overlooking Sir Dixon, chased Tea Tray to the head of the homestretch and there disposed of him with amaging case. of him with amazing ease. Prince Royal then came on slone, running well within himself and looking like a sure winner. Godfrey saw the Withers already in his grasp.

But when Tea Tray retired, Sir Dixon, who had watted patiently two lengths in the rear, came forward with great speed. Every stride closed the gap between him and Prince Royal. Godfrey did not discover this as quickly as the spectators, but he learned it at last and set to work furiously. The finish was close and doubtful. Many thought Prince Royal won by a head, while others were pertain that Sir Dixon's nose was first over the line. Even e judges seemed to doubt, but after some hesitation Sir Dixon's number was sent aloft and cheers were mingled

THIRD RACE-VAN CORTLANDT STAFFS THIRD RACE-VAN CORTHARDY STAKES. §5

EACH, §2,000 ADDED. 1.1.2 MILES.

Preakness Stable's b. c. Belvidere, by Billet-Jaconet,
4 years, 108 b.

E. V. Snedeker's b. c. Esquiman, 4, 108. (Bonohee)

Cotton & Boyle's ch. f. Queen of Elizabeth, 4, 109.

J. D. Morrissey's b. m. Kalcolah, 5, 113 (callifield)

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[Fitzpatrick]

E. J. Baldwin's b. f. Winona, 3, 92, (car 94) (Ossler) 0
Time—2.46.
Auction pools—Esquimau \$250, Belvidere \$135, field \$85.
Mutuals—Belvidere straight paid \$16.05, place \$7.40;

Requiman, place, 86.40. Total number of tickets sold,

There was general regret when The Bard's name went up among the scratches. Tea Tray was also withdrawn, but Winona was put in at the last moment. Little Ossler but Winona was put in at the last moment. Little Ossler took the Baldwin filly to the front at the first jump and she led the procession for more than a mile. When the racing began in earnest she stepped aside. Esquimau and Belvidere moved up together and rapidly drew away from the opponents as they headed for home. The finish brough the spectators to their feet. Esquimau had the best o it until they passed the betting ring, but Shauer never ceased driving Belvidere, and the brother of Sir Dixon. not to be outdone by the youngster, got up in the las four lengths before Queen of Elizabeth. FOURTH RACE-HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKES.

EACH, \$1,000 ADDED. 11-8 MILES W. Lakeland's b. h. Exile, by Mortemer-Second Hand, 6 years, 117 b. (Fitzpatrick) E. V. Snedeker's ch. c. Goodloe, 3, 97 . (Hynseld) O. H. Stebbins's b. c. Raymond, 4, 102 . (Littlefield) Lamasney Brothers' br. g. Brown Duke, 5, 106 (Williams)

Time-2:03.

Auction pools—Brown Duke \$220, Exile \$180, field \$60. Mutuals-Extle straight paid \$11 10, place \$8 60; Good-loc, place, \$12 05. Total number of tickets sold,

Brown Duke didn't like the weather and refused to try a yard, running last all the way. Exile was in better humor and made the running throughout, Raymond heading him in one or two spurts, but failing back after each effort. Exile won by a head, the lightly weighted Goodloe pressing him close at the finish. Raymond, third, was beaten only

FIFTH RACE-PURSE \$800. 11-16 MILES. Cotten & Boyle's br. m. Letritia, by Tom Ochlitree-Letty, 5 yrs. 100 B (Littlefield) M. N. Nolan's b. g. Longlight, 5, 97 (Anderson J. J. Hyland's b. f. Maggie Mitchell, 4, 101 (Fisher) R. Bradley's b. g. King B., sged, 102 (Doane)

Auction pools-Letritia \$300, Maggie Mitchell \$300, Mutuals-Letritia straight paid \$9.95, place \$7.45, Longlight, place, \$10 50. Total number of tickets sold, 3,226.

Locust and Richmond being withdrawn, Letritia had an easy task. She made play with her horses for a mile and then dropped them, winning without effort by a length and a half, Longlight, staggering, a length before Maggle

SIXTH RACE-PURSE \$600. SELLING. SIX FUR-SIXTH RACE-PURSE \$600. SELLING. SIX FU LONGS.

Frank Taylor's b. f. Maiz, by Telemachus-May D. 4 yrs. 104 fb (Stone)
W. F. Burch's blk. c. Boccaecio, 4, 112. (Higgs)
Lamasney Brothers' ch. m. Little Minnie, 5, 100. (Williams)
H. McCarron's b. g. Savage, 3, 84. (Penny)
F. Burgess's b. m. Shampock, 5, 106. (Douglas)
H. S. Newton's ch. g. Marsh Redon, aged, 114. (Fitzpatrick) H. S. Newton's ch. g. Marsh Redon, aged, 114.

W. Lovell's b. g. by Long Taw Pisa, 3, 87 (Mullally)
G. D. Fredericks's br. g. Sam Parker, 3, 91 (Anderson)
S. W. Street's ch. c. Umpire, 3, 91. (Weber)
Mexican Stable's b. g. Peek.2-boo, 5, 111. (Shauer) Time-1:20 3-4.

Auction pools—Marsh Redon \$420. Maia \$180. Little Minnie \$120. Boccaccio \$80. field \$160. Mutuals—Maia straight paid \$60.95, place \$19.05; Boccaccio, place, \$24 50. Total number of tickets sold, 3.516.

Marsh Redon, failing to get off in front, was never in
the race. All ran grouped to the head of the homestretch.

where Maia and Boccaccio drew away and made an ex-citing finish. They seemed locked together as they strug-gled. Stone's mount swerved under every blow of his whip, foreing Boccaccio almost into the outer rail. went by the judges so close together that it looked like a dead heat. There was considerable delay in running ur the victor's number, but it turned out to be Main first by a nose, Boccaccio second, a lengh and a half before Little Minnie. No bid for the winner.

PELHAM ENTRIES FOR TO-DAY.

CLOSE OF THE SPRING MEETING OF THE COUNTRY CLUB. The spring meeting of the Country Club Steeplechase Association closes to-day. With an improvement upon the weather of the opening day, there will be a fine display of jumping talent. The steeplechase country, though not as finished as that of Cedarhurst, smacks more of nature, and many of the hurdles and obstructions ar natural. There is a peculiar charm about a field of high-bred horses dashing over an ordinary conventional rail-fence, ploughing through a field of buttercups and daisies, and finishing over a sweet-scented meadow, with an arti-ficial rippling rill. All the stars of the hurdle-racing are on the programme of entries, and the sport should be pronouncedly successful. The entries are

FIRST RACE-POLO PONY HANDICAP. 1-2 MILE ON THE FLAT. W't. Name.

Wild Tom Little Rascal Buckshot		Private Ch Economy	аъ	150 133 145	
SECOND RACE-OPE	EN HA		1 MIL	E ON	
Name. Harry Mann Neptinus Utoplan McKenrie Glenbar Once-a-Week (Turk) THIRD RACE-SA STEEPLECH	W'L 165 142 125 155 130 130 NFORI	Name. Ludington Justin Mac King B. Chanticlear Velvet	ENGE	W't. 128 155 145 152 137 CUP	
Owner. P. F. Collier Queens County Stable Queens County Stable	Name. Once-a-Week Zangbar Jim Murphy		Age 6	Age. W't. 4 153 6 160 4 148 6 148	

FOURTH RACE-OPEN HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE Wt. Name. 145 Willie Palmer 143 Elphin 148 Schoolmaster Name. FIFTH RACE-BEATEN POMIES. 1-2 MILE ON THE FLAT. Weights to be ennounced after third race.

SIXTH RACE-COUNTRY CLUB STEEPLECHASE. 2 3-4 MILES.

3-4 MILLES.

Wt. Name.
153 Ruckra
150 Ruckra
150 Zanghar
140 Rockwell
149 Wheall
140 Repartee
151 Mystic
151 Mystic
157 Vanduse
147 Epinin
149 Hercules
150 Harwood
147 Charlemagne
142 Justin Mack
156 Goldfellow
143 Tennesee
143 Tennesee
144 Tennesee Jolly Sir John Monte Christo Jim Murphy Glenbar Glenbar Warrington Tasso Schoolmaster Jim McGowah Wille Palmer Pat Oakley Bonero Honero Jim Carlisio Wellington King Troubler SEVENTH RACE-LADIES' CUP. 1 MILE ON THE

FLAT. W't. Name 130 Zangbar 157 Glenbar 150 Chanticleer

A special train leaves the Grand Central Station at

WINNERS AT LATONIA Latonia, May 31.-Winners of to-day's races First race-7 1-2 furlongs. Comedy 1, Cheeny 2, Le-panto 3. Time-1:36 b4.

Second race-Two-year-old fillies. 1-2 mile. Laura Stone 1, Beth Broeck 2, Corinne Blackburn 3. Time-0:50. Third race-6 furlongs. Dick Wright 1, Orange Girl 2,

Fourth race-6 furlongs. Cora L. 1, Duhme 2, Cast-

away 3. Time-1:16 1-2.
Fifth race-1 mile, 70 yards. Grisette 1, Sourmash 2,
Nick Finzer 3. Time-1:46 3-4. Sixth race—Harold Stakes—Two-year-old colts. 5 fur-longs. Once Again 1, Gymnast 2, Outbound 3. Time—

THE RICHMOND GRAMS SEE THE LIONS. The Richmond Grays started from Harlem this norning on the steamer Franklin Edson as guests of the Board of Health and Were taken first to Ward's Island, where they were shown everything there was to see. From there they went to Blackwell's Island and the "sights" were displayed to them. Afterward they

were treated to a fine lunch by the Health Board on

the Island. After the Inner man was satisfied they went to the North Brother Island, "to catch the smallpox," as Commissioner Porter said. In the evening the Virginia boys were entertained by the 71st Regiment, in their armory at Broadway and Seventy-first-st., and Long Acre Square rang with the cheers of the New-York soldlers when the Richmond Grays marched up. Speeches, refreshments and applause ended a pleasant day for them.

THE SCENORAMA AT DOCKSTADERS. A large audience gathered last night by invitation at Dockstader's Theatre to witness the first "scen-It represented orama" produced in this country. paintings by Antoine Berger, after the Bible filustrations by Gustave Dore, with accompanying descriptions by Professor W. A. Dandelo. The impression proed by the paintings was heightened by original mechanical and orchestral effects. Among the Bible stories represented on the canvas were " The Creation," Deluge," "Moses coming from Sinal," "
ity," "The Crucifixion," and "The Ascension.

ARREST OF A LAWYER FOR GRAND LARCENY. Oscar Hochstadter, a lawyer of No. 206 Broadway, was arrested yesterday on a bench warrant from the Court of General Sessions under an indictment for grand larceny. He was retained in the effort to obtain \$2,700 which Ru-dolph Bachmann, a photographer of No. 1,487 Broadway, had on deposit at the German Savings Bank. a fee of \$500, and said that he had paid out \$300 for expenses. It is said, however, that he promised to charge only \$50, but the lawyer denies this statement. The evidence was taken before the Grand Jury. Hochstadter was admitted to \$1,500 ball.

Julius Kohn, an old man of skuty-three years, who kept a restaurant in Jefferson Market and lived at No. 155 Wayerly place was found dead in his restaurant posterically beautiful to this was one of the exiles who fled to this A PROMINENT GERMAN FOUND DEAD. morning. He was one of the exiles who fied to this country in 1848, with Carl Schurr, ex-Coroner Merkle and others. He served one term in the Legislature and was well-known among the German population of the city.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS. PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS.

ASTOR-Bishop John Sweeny, of St. John, N. B.
CLARENDON-Sir Lionel West, British Minister at
Washington. FIFTH AVENUE—Ex-Congressman John
W. Candler, of Boston, and J. B. Barnaby, of Rhode
Island. GILSEY-Ex-Scenator James Arkell, of Canajoharie, N. Y. HOFFMAN-Judge J. L. Jackson, of
West Virginia. MURRAY HILL—Augustus Brandegee,
of Connecticut. ST. JAMES—R. C. Kerens, of St. Louis.
WINDSOR—Rear Admiral William R. Taylor, U. S.
Navy; James McMillan, of Detroit; Colonel George E.
Gray, of San Francisco; and Charles L. Colby, president
of the Wisconsin Central Railroad Company.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY. . Country Club races, Pelham, 2 p. m.

Arguments in Jachne case before Judge Benedict.
Inquest in Murray case before Coroner Levy, 2 p. m.
Board of Street Openings, City Hall, noon.
Coroner's inquest on John-st. building accident.
New-York-Pittsburg baseball contest, Polo Grounds,

m.
Goodail will case, Surrogate's Court.
Trial of Thomas B. Kerr before Judge Patterson.
Investigating charges against Buildings Inspecto Manhattan Athletic Club reception to European team,

Ferris Righter case before City Court. Plymouth Church prayer-meeting, Brooklyn, 7:45 p. m. Music in Battery Park by 60th Regiment Band, 8 p. m. Knights of Labor meeting, Pythagoras Hall, 8 p. m. Exhibition of decorative work, Gotham Art Students' 50m, No. 697 Broadway, 7:30 p. m.

NEW-YORK CITY. O'Donovan Rossa has laid aside dynamite for

while and is now writing poetry. The Tipperary Men's Association, following the example of many of the other Irish county societies, have formed a company of the Irish Volunteers. They expect to be using sword and gun in Erin's

ause one of these days. Captain P. J. Howe, president of the Irish Veterans Association, has organized a protection club, and says be will vote the Republican ticket in November.

Bishop Conroy confirmed 700 children yesterday in St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Grand and Ridge sts. The letter of State Controller Wemple to City Controller Myers rejecting and disallowing the claim of

the city for reimbursement of \$60.916.84, expended in the "boodle" cases, was received by Mr. Myers yesterday. Street Commissioner Coleman yesterday informed Mayor Hewitt that all streets south of Central Park

would, during the remainder of the season, be cleaned at night, except those in four wards on the East Side and two on the West Side. Captain Joseph Burley, commanding the steamer City of Atlanta, reported yesterday that on Wednesday morning in latitude 38° 15', longitude 78° 12', his

vessel passed within fifty feet of a ship's mast sticking about six feet above the water. The reporting of it will probably result in a naval vessel being sent out to remove it. The finest grass butter is down to the exceptionally low price of 19 cents a pound wholesale. Of course

this information is not obtained from those grocers who yet charge consumers 30 cents. Children's day will be celebrated with flowers and song by the Sunday-school of the Presbyterian Church

of the Sea and Land, at Henry and Market sts., June 10, at 2:30 p. m. The funeral of Mrs. William Mackaye, who died on Tuesday, took place yesterday at the Central Con-

gregational Church. The Rev. Mr. Lloyd officiated. The burial was in Woodlawn Cemetery. The Young People's Association of Pilgrim Con gregational Church had a large attendance at its entertainment last night, at which Miss Saidee V. Milne gave recitations, and the Madrigal Quartet several

Edwin Gould, second son of Jay Gould, would have been elected a member of the Stock Exchange yes terday if a quorum of the Committee on Admissions could have been brought together. No objections to his admission have been received, and his election

at the meeting next week is without a doubt. The lack of a quorum yesterday was almost unprecedented. The coffee market, which has lately been gradually advancing, yesterday took a sudden rise of about sixty points. The total sales for the day amounted to 64,000 bags.

The final examinations of the Law School of Columbia College began yesterday.

Sanitary inspectors sent four smallpox patients t the North Brother Island Hospital yesterday, a girl from Forty-second-st. near Eleventh-ave., a boy and a girl from a house in Avenue C, near Tenth-st., and a man from the Chambers Street Hospital. In conformity with the by-laws, the Cotton Ex-

change, beginning next Monday, will not open until 11 o'clock a. m., instead of 10 as heretofore, through the months of June, July, August and September. John Jacob Astor, by a deed recorded in the Register's office vesterday, has transferred the prop-

erty No. 112 Fifth-ave. to Robert and Ogden Goelet for \$100,000. Mr. Astor got the property last January from the executors of the late Charlotte A. Astor for the same price. The executors of John Roach, the shipbuilder, have

sold eleven lots at the northeast corner of Avenue D and Ninth-st. to Benedict A. Klein for \$83,000. The buyer gives a mortgage for \$10,055 in part pay-The New-York Central Railroad will run a special

train to accommodate delegates going to the Republican National Convention at Chicago. This train will leave New-York at 10:20 a. m. on Saturday, June 17. The Southern Beneficial League, a large and suc-

cessful organization of colored men, met last night at its hall in Seventh-avo. to receive the charter which was recently granted by the Legislature. The league was founded about two years ago.

Secretary Bayard has appointed Haughwout Howe to be the representative of the Department of State at the centennial exhibition of the Ohio Valley and Central States, to be held at Cincinnati, beginning July 4 and

James A. Cowie, the doorkeeper at Poole's Theatre, who was held in \$500 ball charged with having permitted Lottle Jennings and Cornelia Storms, age sixteen and eleven years, to enter the theatre without an escort, was discharged by Justice Reilly at Jefferson Market vesterday. It was proved that their aunt.

Fannie Wilson, accompanied them. The convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. held in Forrest Hall last evening, elected these officers: Michael Kennedy, State delegate: Michael I Slattery, State secretary; and Richard Hargrave,

A mass meeting of citizens and owners of property along the line of the Harlem River will be held to-night at the Athenaeum, One hundred-andfifty-fifth-st., and Tenth-ave., to protest against the cutting down of appropriations for the improvement of the Harlenn. Colonel Fellows will preside and there will be many well-known speakers.

The fair now in progress in the hall of the Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel in East Ninetieth st. has been a financial success. It will end this week. The proceeds are for the benefit of the church building fund.

Stern Brothers, of West Twenty-third-st., will close their store at noon on Saturdays during the summer beginning on June 16.

The members of the Young Men's St. Aloysius Sodality connected with the Church of St. John the Baptist in West Thirtieth-st. will give a literary musical entertainment in the hall of the church next Monday evening.

The Benevolent Society of the Church of St. Bonfface, in Second-ave., will hold its seventh annual . ADOPTING THE PRODUCE EXCHANGE TICKET. festival at Washington Park, East Sixty-ninth-st., on The funeral of Captain Russell E. Glover took

place at the Church of St. Mary the Virgin yesterday. The Rev. Father Brown conducted the service. The burial was at Greenwood. The annual spring games of the Staten Island Ath-

day.

letic Club will be held at the club grounds on Satur-

It is said that W. Byrd Page, the champion high-

Absolutely Pure.

jumper, has given up athletic pursuits, and will be employed in the car shops at Altoona, Penn

Harvard now leads in the Intercollegiate base ball series, having won three games and lost one Yale has won two and lost one, and Princeton has won one game and lost four.

BROOKLYN.

Mayor Chapin is expected to appoint to-day a successor to City Treasurer Wheelock, who assumes the duties of president of the Nassau Trust Company. Josephine Quinn, age four, daughter of Dr. J. R Quinn, of No. 449 Lafayette-ave., was seriously in jured by falling from a window while watching the Decoration Day parade, and her recovery is doubtful Paymaster J. Porter Loomis reported for duty yes-terday as General Storekeeper of the Navy Yard, to succeed Pay Inspector Stevenson.

The wooden frame of the New-York, at one time planned to be the largest ship in the United States out never completed, which has stood under a shed at the Navy Yard for many years, was sold at auctio

Surrogate Lott yesterday disallowed the sum of \$500 left by Ann Eva Schwarz in her will to have masses said for the repose of her soul, and the money will go to the residuary legatee. He based his action upon the decision of the Court of Appeals in the recent Holland case, that such a clause is in the nature of a trust and the executor cannot be forced perform the duty.

Absolute divorce was granted yesterday to Thomas Moore from Mrs. Mary Moore. Thomas Connestor was the co-respondent.

Mrs. Bridget Walsh, of No. 161 North Eighth-st. who was assaulted in her rooms on Wednesday night with a soup pot in the hands of Mary Flynn, a young unmarried woman, was resting quietly yesterday, and her physicians now entertain hopes of her recovery. Her assailant was admitted to ball in Justice Nacher's

NEWS FROM THE SCHURBS,

NEW-JERSEY.

The authorities at Paterson yesterday were informed of a case that may turn out to be murder. James Fulton, age about fifty, was reported dying from a fractured skull at his home, No. 41 McCurdy-st. In his lucid intervals he talked of having been struck down and robbed of \$150. The wound is such as might have been made with a slungshot. Fulton was found on the night of May 19 in front of a liquor store in Cross-st. and was carried into the place where the proprietor, "Jem" Gibbons, a professional puglilst, recognized him, he says, as having been in the place a short time before looking at a sparring match. A woman who lives next door says she saw Fulton come out of the place and fall headlong down the flight of steps to the sidewalk. Gibbons has since sold out his business. The authorities are investigating the matter. The uniformity of the above testimony from such lead-ing physicians of the city is simply wonderful, and places Bethesda where it undoubtedly deserves to be, at the head of all pure waters.

A complete performance of Dudley Buck's cantata of "The Light of Asia," the fext of which is selected from Sir Edwin Arnold's poem of the same name. was given by the Harmonie Society, of Newark, at the First Baptist Church in Newark last night.

JERSEY CITY.

Gustave Varr, while walking on the Eric Railway track west of Bergen Hill, yesterday, was struck by a train and had his skull fractured. He will probably

on the Pennsylvania Railroad, was struck by a train at Coles-st. yesterday, and fatally injured. Thomas Walsh, of Grand-st., a 'longshoreman, wa fatally crushed in the hold of one of the Wilson Line

steamers yesterday, by three barrels of salt which slipped from a sling. It is said that the Board of Public Works, which is tie politically, has effected a compromise and will organize this evening with Commissioner Gannon as

president. The committee will be equally divided be ween the members and the question of appointment left open. The Grand Jury held its first meeting vesterday ince the alleged finding of indictments against Commissioners Kern, Reynolds, Watt and Hilliard, the Big Four" of the Board of Public Works, for conpiracy and malfeasance in office. It was expected that the indictments, if any had been found, would be presented in court and the defendants ordered to ap-

pear and plead, but nothing of the kind was done. A rumor that the indictments had been reconsidered was in circulation around the Court House but it could not be verified. Mary Kennedy, age twenty, of No. 257 Woodwardst., was returning home from church about 7 a. m. yesterday, and for a short cut attempted to walk across the Newark and New-York Railroad bridge over the Morris Canal. She saw a train going west and stepped on the other track, only to be struck by a

Joseph and Herman Romacher, ages ten and eleven, arrested on complaint of their father for truancy, were placed yesterday in the hospital room at Police Headquarters previous to commitment to the Reform Scho During the morning the boys pried away the lock of the door and passed out of the building unnoticed.

STATEN ISLAND.

The Richmond County Board of Supervisors at Tompstosvice yesterday continued their investigation as to the alleged irregularities in the accounts of the County Superintendents of the Poor. Superintendents Welden and Hennessey were examined, but their testimony failed to show anything irregular in the accounts of the Superintendent.

LONG ISLAND.

The spring convention of the Suffolk County Sunday-school Association was begun at Sayville yesterday. At the old Bowne homestead, Flushing, yesterday, a thoroughbred collie dog developed rables, bit three farm-hands and a cow, and was shot.

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President Frederick D. Henderson, of the Long Island Jockey Club, James L. Lowery and Freeman A. Gibbins were discharged from custody by Justice Stephen J. Kavanagh in the Long Island City Police Court yesterday. They were arrested on a charge of trespass preferred by Mr. James Donnelly, of Bowery Hay, who claims to have an unexpired lease of the club's newly bought property.

Carl Dackow, age ten, of Sayville, has not been seen in over a month and a half and so little has his father been affected by his disappearance that the suspicions of the neighbors have been aroused and they are clamoring loudly for a strict investigation. This was resterday begun by District-Attorney Wilmot M. Smith and Justice of the Peace Arrington H. Carman, of Patchogue. The father says his son ran away from home. Evidence has been given of cruci treatment of the son at his father's hands.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY. The twenty-fifth anniversary of the incorporation of the Catholic Protectory at Westchester was celebrated yesterday. Archibishop Corrigan and several Roman Catholic priests from this city were present. Sheriff Duffy, of Westehester County, appointed fifteen deputy sheriffs yesterday to protect the property of the brick manufacturers at Verplank's Point, on the Hudson, from the threatened disturbances of the Knights of Labor, who last year prevented new hands from being employed in the yards to take the places of the strikers.

AN OLD FAVORITE READY FOR BUSINESS.

The season at Coney Island, which may be said to be formally opened when travel begins by the boars of the Iron Steamboat Company, began on Decoration Day. The passengers carried numbered about the same as opening days, and the renovated boats were admired by all. The iron piers have been made more attractive than ever, and there is always a place on them with a seaward view which is unsurpassed. The Iron Steamboat Company is now fully prepared for business, and on and after Sunday the boats will be run on the summer schedule.

A meeting of members of the Produce Exchange caucus was held yesterday at the close of business, when the following ticket was adopted for the election of following ticket was acopted for the election of officers, to be held June 4. A. E. Orr, president; C. F. Burke, vice-president; Edward Rice, treasurer. The names chosen for election to the Board of Managers wers: Frederick Dare, Evan Thomas, T. P. White, C. B. Sumner, John M. Percival and Henry Clausen. CORRECTING AN ERRONEOUS ANNOUNCEMENT

Some mistake was made and not corrected in giving out the dates for the commencement exercises of the Uni-versity of the City of New-York. It was announced that the exercises of the Law School were to take place last night at the Metropolitian Opera House, and some people went there in consequence. This is the programme: Law Commencement, June 7, 8 p. m., Academy of Music, address by Assemblyman Ernest H. Crosby, on "The Legal Profession and American Progress"; Baccalaureate sermon, June 10, 8 p. m., by Vice-Chancello MacCracken, University Place Church; Class Day exer cises, Association Hall, June 11, 8 p. m.; Commence-ment, Arts and Science, June 14, 8 p. m., Academy of

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Dr. W. G. Wyle, 40 West 40th-st., sald: "What do know in regard to Bethesda Water! Very much. I us a great deal of it myself, and prescribe it and have fo years in cases of bladder disorders. I prefer it in m practice for bladder and urinary troubles to all othe agenta."

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Dr. Fordyce Barker, 24 East 38th.st., said: "Yes, sir, it is true, as you have been informed, that I prescribe Bethesda in my practice. I is a capital thing to wash out the bladder and kidneys. It is a charming remedial agent, and I have advocated its use for years."

Dr. Alexander B. Mott, 62 Madison-ave., says: "In my judgment Bethesda is the only one of the waters in the market which, as a diuretic, does not overtax the kidneys. I know its good qualities and appreciate them."

Dr. Justus J. Spreng, 143 West 22d-st., said: "I should not care to practice my profession to-day if Bethesda was not in the market. It is the only agent that I know of which is at once a remedial one and a non-irritant. It is non-stimulating, and, I believe, the only water that will cute diseased kidneys. Over one hundred gallons monthly of it are used by my patients alone."

Dr. Louis A. Sayre, 5th-ave, and 30th-st., said: "I have used Bethesda myself and also used it in my practice with much pleasure."

Dr. Shrady, 274 Lexington-ave., said: "You cannot tell me anything about Bethesda that I do not know. I have prescribed enough of it for you to swim in. That show what I think of it."

Dr. Taylor, 5s Lexington-ave., says: "I have used Bethesda for fitteen years, and thellove in it. The Actors' Fund of America has elected me as their physician in charge, and I had occasion to recommend the use of Bethesda to Lester Wallack a short time since. I believe it will greatly help him."

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Dr. William N. King, 214 West 44th-st., says: "I feel it a duty to the community to give my professional experience regarding a man who was at the point of death, who had 60 per cent of albumen, who had made his will and was resigned to die. Last week he came into my office bright and chipper as any man, perfectly cured. That is what Bethesda did for him."

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Dr. W. R. De Kraft, 30 West 30th-st., said: "I always recommend Bethesda Water for all kidney and
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for Bethesda Water is both large and exceedingly satisfactory, and that their patrons are universally pleased
with it."

BAD BLOOD STIRRED UP IN BROOKLYN. THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT LEAVES DISCORD AMONG THE DEMOCRATIC POLITICIANS.

reported in Brooklyn yesterday that the Decoration Day parade was delayed by Grand-Marshal Bell in order to prevent the Possident from reaching on time the house of Marvin Cross, where a reception was given to him. Both Bell and Cross live in the Nineteenth Ward and both aspire to the office of Mayor next year. The President was met in this city by United States District-Attorney Wilber and City Auditor Rutan, both prominent politicians, and they hurried him from Madison Square to Brooklyn without giving him time to get any luncheon, and then after reaching the reviewing stand he had to wait early half an hour for the troops. It is said that the real reason that he left the reviewing stand before the firemen, letter carriers and others in the last two divisions of the parade had a chance to see him, was because his stomach could hold out no longer. nay have vented some of his displeasure upon Messrs. Wilber and Rutan, for they were ready to relieve their feelings and denounced the conduct of Police Commissioner Bell yesterday.

Mr. Wilber said he was at a loss to account for Marthal Bell's action. He thought that the men should have started premptly from the point of assembly, and then the right of the column could have halted and been ready to pass before the President upon hi arrival. The march was delayed and then a forced narch was made, and the line straggled past so that the President stood for an hour and a half and then did not see all the forces. He thought the delay was not due to ignorance. Another effort to make the reception at Mr. Cross's house a flasco, said Mr. Wiltermanding a previous one to have a revenue cutter

train going in the opposite direction and hurled into the canal. She was rescued, badly cut but conscious. Her recovery is doubtful.

NEWARK.

In the courts yesterday, William Hurley, indicted on seven charges of burglary, pleaded guilty. Hurley is also charged with robbing the Hilton, Springfield and Montelair postofilees, for which he will be tried in the Federal courts.

Joseph and Herman Romacher, ages ten and eleven,

SENDING A JAIL-BREAKER TO CONNECTICUT. Stephen Hall, alias "Pebo," alias "Jimmy Thompson," while driving on the Harlem Bridge in a buggy on Tuesday last, was arrested by Detective Sergeant McGuire, who was of the opinion that the vehicle had been stolen. The arrest was made on a description furnished by the authorities of Middletown, Conn., where Hall is wanted for burglary and jailbreaking. About a year ago Hall was arrested at that place for breaking into a house and stealing jewels and elothing valued at \$1,500. He was committed for trial, but was only confined a few days when confederates formished him with saws, with which he removed iron bars in his cell and escaped. Yesterday morning Sheriff Hutchinson appeared in the Tombs Police Court and produced papers before Justice Murray for Hall's extradition to Connecticut, and the latter was turned over to him.

ABUSING A POLICEMAN'S CHILD. Complaint was made to the Society for the Pre ention of Cruelty to Children yeste:day in regard to the brutal treatment of a child of Bridge Policeman Patrick Fenn. of Snedeker-ave. and Broadway, Brooklyn, by her aunt in Greenwich, Conn. The twelve years old and she went to her uncle's house in Greenwich, Conn., to spend a few weeks in April Her uncle had just married. Reports of her only ment were forwarded to the parents, but on Tuesday they received word from neighbors to rescue the child from brutal treatment. Mrs. Fenn went to Green-wich and found that the aunt had pulled the child's hair, and beaten and abused her in many ways. She was at once taken to Brooklyn and the condition of affairs was made known to the proper authorities.

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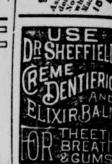


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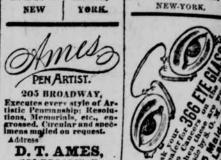
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